

House Resolution No. 2156

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an extraordinary young Missouri citizen who has attained tremendous personal success through achievement in the Boy Scouts of America program; and

Whereas, Michael Bollinger of Troop 21 in Clayton, Missouri, will receive the prestigious Eagle Scout Award during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held May 25, 2004, at Clayton High School; and

Whereas, Michael Bollinger earned the praise and respect of many for the enthusiasm and initiative he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project, which involved the construction of sixteen benches for the City of Olivette Parks and Recreation Department; and

Whereas, during his eight years in the Scouting program, Michael Bollinger earned an impressive forty-five merit badges, attained membership in the Order of the Arrow, and participated in a High Adventure trip to the Boundary Waters Canoe Area in 2003; and

Whereas, Michael Bollinger has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through his important terms of service to his Troop as Troop Guide; and

Whereas, Michael Bollinger has achieved all of this and more with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud parents, Wendell and Margaret Bollinger:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Michael Bollinger at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to uphold the Scouting tradition with both honor and decorum; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Michael Bollinger.

Offered by _____
Representative Margaret Donnelly
District No. 73

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2156, adopted April 27, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker